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Dated January, 19th.

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G.O., 19th Jan. 1883, No. 228 W.

JANUARY.

Nos. 207-208.

Kistna Central Division. .

*Proposals in regard to the establishment,
&c., of the new — and the other divisions of
the Delta, approved.*

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

No. 207.

READ—the following letter from J. W. RUNDALL, Esq., Superintending Engineer, Second Circle, to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Masulipatam, 26th December 1882, No. 1799 K.S.:—

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of G.O., No. 972 I., dated the 2nd instant, authorizing me to entertain establishment for the new Central Division, One Map.

Kistna. Since the receipt of this order, Mr. J. Hannan, Executive Engineer, has been appointed to the charge of the new division and has already joined the district.

2. I have not received any instructions as to the way in which the present Eastern Division is to be split up. I beg to submit the following proposals, and request the favor of early orders on the subject.

3. I assume that it is intended to divide the Eastern Section of the Delta into two parts, and that each of the two Executive Engineers shall hereafter have all the work within the limits decided on, including the maintenance of existing works and the distribution of water. I assume also that there will be three Sub-divisional Officers attached to the Executive Engineer having his headquarters at Bezvada.

4. Stated broadly I would make the head works with workshop and quarries, the Ellore Canal, the Bank Canal, the Masulipatam Canal and the Pulleru up to Marrivada into one division.

5. The Pulleru below Marrivada, the Polaraz Canal, the Bantumilli Canal and all the country below Pamarru to the north of the Masulipatam, including all the drainages except the Lazzabanda drain, would form the other division. Ryves' Canal must be split up, the work under (2) Main Canals and Branches being attached to the old division, and the work under the distributaries, with the exception of one or two channels above Komatigunta weir, being attached to the new division.

6. I forward a map showing the proposed boundaries of the two divisions. The old division had better continue to be called the Eastern Division, but as the new division lies entirely to the east of the old one, to call it the Central Division would be a misnomer, and it would be better to call it the Gudivada Division.

7. The headquarters of the Eastern Division must continue at Bezvada, but the headquarters of the new division should be at Gudivada.

8. The sub-division boundaries should be as follows:—

EASTERN DIVISION.

Headquarter Sub-division.—Anicut, Head Works, Quarries and works at Bezvada, including Main Canal.

Northern Sub-division.—Ellore Canal, Masulipatam Canal, 1st Reach, Bank Canal and River Embankment to Vallur and Ryves' Canal.

Southern Sub-division.—Bank Canal from Vallur downwards, Masulipatam Canal from Kankipad downwards, West Side Channel, Pulleru to Marrivada and Lazzabanda Drain. The latter work can be better supervised from Masulipatam than elsewhere.

GUDIVADA DIVISION.

Cowtaram Sub-division.—Pulleru from Marrivada, Polaraz Canal, Bantumilli Canal, and drainages between them and Polaraz Drain. Headquarters at Cowtaram.

Gudiváda Sub-division.—Ryves' Canal Distributaries, Chendrayakodu Drain, and new Gudiváda Channel. Headquarters at Gudiváda.

9. I would propose that Mr. Whiteley, Assistant Engineer, who has lately completed his practical course, be posted to the Cowntaram Sub-division.

10. I can attach Honorary Assistant Engineer Muhammad Khasim Sahib to the new division, and the two Overseers at present in the portion of country transferred will be posted to the Gudiváda Division.

11. But as I am short of two Upper Subordinates in the Kistna Western Division, I request that another Overseer may be posted to the circle at an early date for duty in that division. I will apply for the second temporary Overseer sanctioned as soon as it is found that a man is wanted.

12. It is not, I consider, either advisable or necessary to add any portion of the present Western Division to the charge on left bank of the river.

13. If it is thought that as regards area the new division has been made somewhat too large, it is to be remembered that the officer in charge of the old division will have an immense amount of work in connection with the supply of materials to all three Delta Divisions: the supervision of the workshops and supervising the licensing of boats, &c., will all fall to the Eastern Division.

14. The proposed arrangements will not, I think, involve any difficulties between the two divisions as regards water regulation and distribution. All that will be necessary is for the officer at Gudiváda to intimate the depth of water he requires at Komatigunta weir and Pamarru bridge. As soon as a connection is made with the Upputeru the surplus arrangements will be much improved. After the Polaraz Canal has been carried through, if the officer at Bezváda cannot, for any reason, reduce water at once, the Gudiváda officer will be able to pass on surplus to the Upputeru.

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Forwarded to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.

2. The appointment of Mr. Whiteley, Assistant Engineer, to the new Kistna Division is recommended, and also that of one temporary Overseer.

3. The arrangements proposed by the Superintending Engineer have been discussed with him, and are approved by the undersigned.

CAMP, SANGAM,
15th January 1883.

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Acting Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

To the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.

No. 208.

ORDER—dated 19th January 1883, No. 228 W., Public Works.

The arrangements proposed by the Superintending Engineer, Second Circle, and recommended by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, are approved.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Second Circle.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation, with one Map.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Revenue Department.

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Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

From the S. G. Second Circle B.S. No. 2052 K.S. of 3rd Feb 83.

The estimate amounting to Rs 3,340 for constructing a temporary Division Office at Gudirada is sanctioned, & the sum of Rs 1,000 required for expenditure during the current financial year, is appropriated from the Public Reserve.

2. This sanction has been registered as

No 2052

Superintending Engineer's Office,
2nd Circle, Masulipatam.
3rd February 1883.

From

The Superintending Engineer,
2nd Circle.

To

The Chief Engineer,
Public Works Department.

Enclosures - Three

1. Estimate
2. Sanction
3. Estimate
4. Estimate

I have the honor to forward for
Sanction, an estimate amounting to Rs 3,340

for constructing a temporary Division Office
at Gudivada for the new Gudivada Division.

2. I conclude that the cost of this office
will be borne by Provincial funds.

3. If sanction is accorded to the
estimate, a sum of Rs 1,000 can be spent
in the current year, and a definite propo-
sal for a transfer from some current allot-
ment will be made.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most Obedt Servant.

J. W. Pundarik
Superintending Engineer II Circle.

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From, *Mc 1216*
The Superintending Engineer,
IInd Circle.

To
The Chief Engineer,
Public Works Dept.
Madras.

Dated 3rd February 1883

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No 2052 K.S.

Gudivada-Division Office at

Estimate amounting to Rs. 3340/-

for constructing a temporary

for Gudivada Division-For-
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Public Works Department, 1882-83.

Current No. 1246

Letter No. 2052

Dated the 3rd February 1883

From the Superintendent 2nd Circle

Note of Remarks.

1- The abstract of the estimate
now submitted with report,
for the construction of a
Temporary Division Office
at Gudewada, amounts to
Rs 3,340-

2 - The rates are fair

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12th Feb 83

C. No. 1246.

P. W. Secretariat.

Note by Budget Section.

Work

Remarks and References.

Contracting a temporary
Division Office at Indriada.
Indriada Division

Fund	Provincial	
Service Head	Civil Buildings	
Departmental Head	Original works	
Amount of Estimate	...	Rs. 3340
Expenditure in previous year	...	"
Allotment in current year	...	"
Balance required to complete	...	3340
Total Rs...		

Note of available funds.

The Engineer states that he can spend Rs 1000 in the current financial year, which amount he can temporarily draw from his disposal. If this proposal is not approved funds may be appropriated from the Provincial Reserve.

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Budget Clerk.

Note by Budget Section.
